

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 3630 - SB 3579**

March 15, 2012

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Creates a civil cause of action to recover any damages incurred due to an individual entering a property and killing a wild animal, bird, fowl, or fish without the property owner's permission.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- Currently, killing a wild animal on private property without the owner's consent is a Class C misdemeanor, which the court may subsequently revoke applicable hunting licenses.
- A small increase in cases in the court system, which will result in additional state and local government expenditures for processing the cases and additional state and local government revenue from fees, taxes and costs collected. These expenditures and revenue are estimated to be not significant.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lucian D. Geise".

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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